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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on July 1, 2004, and the Notice of Incomplete Reply mailed on August 9, 2004. The Notice to File Missing Parts required that a response be filed by September 1, 2004. This response is, therefore, believed to be timely. However, if any extension is required, please consider this a petition for the same. No fees are believed to be due with this response. However, if any are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge the same to deposit account number 18-2210.

The Notice to File Missing Parts indicated that the application had been filed without a declaration. Accordingly, Applicant submitted a combined declaration and power of attorney of July 19, 2004. However, the Notice to File Missing Parts also noted an objection to the application because it contained figures in the specification. A substitute specification was required as were substitute drawings. Applicant neglected to include the substitute specification or the substitute drawings. Accordingly, the Notice of Incomplete Reply was issued on August 9, 2004.

In response to the foregoing, Applicant submits herewith (1) a substitute specification. It

consists of a new cover page; thirteen (13) pages of specification; six (6) pages of claims and one

(1) page of abstract. The only changes to the original specification are (1) the position of the text

has been changed because the drawings were removed, such that the following text moved up; (2)

on page 2, line 3, the references to "figure A" and "figure B" have been changed to refer to

"figure 1A" and "figure 1B;" (3) on page 3, lines 17-21, a "Brief Description of the Drawings"

section has been added; and (4) the cover page now bears the label "Substitute Specification." No

bther changes have been made to the application. No new matter has been added by any of the

additions.

As instructed, Applicant has also submitted substitute drawings herewith. The substitute

drawings are the figures that were originally included in the body of the specification. No other

drawings have been added, and no new matter has been added in the substitute drawings.

Applicant believes that the accompanying submissions will put the application in condition

for examination, and he respectfully requests that it be forward to the examining division for that

burpose. However, if any matter remains which may be addressed via teleconference, the initial

examination examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the number

listed below.

Respectfully submitted:

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Substitute Drawings